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Dear Jim -

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I remember so well sitting in your apt. at Illini Tower listening to you plead a case of a woman blinded by a cosmetic surgery & I remember you going to an upper floor studying for hours for the bar. I thought then what a hard working, brilliant & compassionate lawyer you would be. I was honored to know you.

Little did I know that over 30 yrs later - people & clearly have wanted benefit from that hard work, brilliance & compassion.

Our dear daughter, Mary, died in Sept. Until then she was part of the lawsuit. We wanted the best for her - for 14 yrs she lived at Misericordia. which & I were thrilled you were hearing the ^{case} judge. I was in court to support my friends. You were the best - & thank you for reading all those objections, for saving about the individuals for listening! I was so proud.

Sister always says, God sends us the right people at the right time - As usual, she was right - God sent the right judge. Thank you a million times. Sherry
Amstutz